

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
For the WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA**

MISCELLANEOUS NO. 3:15MC171

**IN RE: Cameras and Phones Permitted for
 Naturalization Ceremonies**

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**US District Court
Western District of NC**

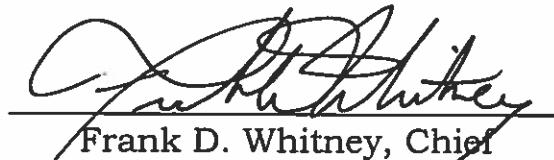
ORDER

THIS MATTER is before the Court upon its own motion.

The United States District Court for the Western District of North Carolina hereby authorizes the presence of cameras and cell phones in all courthouses during any naturalization ceremony. All persons attending such ceremonies shall be permitted to keep their cameras and cell phones in their possession.

The Clerk shall post a notice advising all parties to mute cell phones upon entering the courtroom.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED this 10th day of September, 2015.



Frank D. Whitney, Chief
U.S. District Court Judge